

## A NEW COMBINATION MAY DEFEAT BOTH BOND AND TARIFF BILLS IN DANGER.

**Combination of Sugar and Silver Men Makes the Situation Grave—Strong Venezuelan Resolutions in House and Senate—Washington News of Current Interest.**

Washington, Jan. 10.—The fact that Senator Jones has announced that he will not follow the dictation of a Republican caucus in regard to the rate of duty on sugar, coupled with the attitude of Senators Teller, Baker and other silver men on the Republican side, sounds a warning note that trouble is likely to be expected from these men at all times in matters pertaining to senate legislation. Simultaneously with this comes Senator Teller insisting that he will vote for a free silver amendment to the tariff bill. While he does not say that he will himself offer such an amendment, it goes without saying that the opponents of the tariff bill, on the Democratic side of the chamber, will be glad to embarrass it with the addition of a free coinage amendment.

It is believed by those who have made a thorough canvass of the senate that the free silver amendment to the bond bill could be defeated. It is found that quite a number of men having a friendship for silver are sufficiently anxious to see the bond bill pass to omit to vote for a free silver amendment.

Should the amendment to the bond bill be defeated, however, it is practically certain that it would be offered as an amendment to the tariff bill, and would be very likely to be adopted. It is presumed that every Democrat, or nearly all, at least, of the Democrats would vote for a free silver amendment to the tariff act simply to embarrass and defeat that bill. This would be especially probable in case the free coinage amendment to the bond bill should fail.

Senator Jones' attitude in regard to sugar caused the finance committee of the senate to delay action on the tariff bill, and it seems not improbable that it will have to be reported adversely unless the Republicans yield to the Pacific coast demands for the increased rates on sugar.

The sugar people are here from all parts of the country, East and West and the Mississippi valley, all pressing for the increase. With Senator Jones of Nevada and his colleague, Senator Stewart, voting against the tariff bill, on account of the sugar duty, supported by other votes from the Pacific coast and by Baker of Kansas, it is extremely uncertain whether the bill could pass the senate. If, as has been proposed, a free silver amendment is offered by the Democrats for the purpose of embarrassing and finally defeating the bill, they may be successful.

Of course, it is not expected that either the bond bill or the tariff bill would be accepted by the house, with the free coinage amendments. They would go to a committee of conference, but when it is remembered that a conference committee kept the tariff bill in its hands in 1894 many weeks, and came near defeating it altogether, the hope for an early solution of the bond question or of any addition to the revenue by the increased tariff is not great. There was hope that the arguments of leading Republicans from other parts of the country, who have been here in the past four days, might be effective in preventing these complications, but this hope is not realized.

### VENEZUELAN RESOLUTION.

**Livingston of Georgia Wants Information on Reported British Invasion.**

Washington, Jan. 10.—The Venezuelan controversy came to the front in the house yesterday, the cause being the reports that British Guiana had advanced its outposts into the territory in dispute. As soon as the journal had been read Mr. Livingston (dem.), of Georgia, sent to the clerk's desk and had read the following resolution: "Be it resolved by the house of representatives, the senate concurring, that the President of the United States is hereby requested to forthwith ascertain whether in advancing her outposts in the territory in dispute between her colony of British Guiana and the Republic of Venezuela, or is re-enforcing her posts heretofore established with troops, police or ordnance; and should the President become cognizant of the fact that British military or police force is advancing to invade or re-enforce, or since the 17th day of December last has invaded or re-enforced posts formerly occupied within said disputed territory, he demand the immediate withdrawal of said soldiers and the reduction of the police force in said territory to not a greater number than were occupying the British outposts on the aforesaid 17th of December, 1895." The resolution was referred to the committee on foreign affairs. Mr. Henderson, republican, of Iowa, gave notice that the report of the committee on rules of the house would be called up tomorrow and at 12:20 the house adjourned.

### DEBATE AGAIN POSTPONED.

**Free-Coinage Substitute in the Senate Now Has Right of Way.**

Washington, Jan. 10.—The debate on the senate free-coinage substitute for the house bond bill was again postponed Thursday, owing to the intervention of Mr. Stewart, the Nevada populist, who insisted upon making a speech in favor of the Elkins resolution, as amended by the Butler amendment, to prohibit the further sale of bonds except by the express consent of congress. The free-coinage substitute was called up at the conclusion of Mr. Stewart's speech, and now has the right of way, so that the vote upon it can be postponed no longer. Mr. Stewart's speech predicted the failure of the popular loan proposition of the administration, intimating that the loan had already been underwritten by the gold syndicate, reiterated the senator's well-known silver views, and concluded with an appeal for the financial as well as the political independence of the United States.

Mr. Jones (dem., Ark.) then called up the senate free-coinage substitute for the house bond bill, but, owing to the lateness of the hour, he could not open the debate; and, at 3:40 o'clock, the senate went into executive session, soon thereafter adjourning.

### IN THE SENATE.

**Resolution Regarding Venezuela Offered by Senator Baker.**

Washington, Jan. 10.—In the senate yesterday Senator Baker offered the following resolution, enunciating an expansion of the Monroe doctrine: "Resolved, That the United States will regard it as an unfriendly act for any foreign power, without our consent, by war, treaty, purchase or otherwise, to extend its territorial limits in the western hemisphere, on either of the American continents, or to or over any of the islands adjacent thereto, which this country deems necessary for its self-preservation. And the United States reserves the right to be the sole judge of the necessity for the maintenance of their national entities." Senator Baker made a brief speech in advocacy of the resolution.

Senator Call took occasion, before the resolution was referred to the foreign relations committee, to call attention to the war which the Cubans were so gallantly and successfully waging for independence and expressed the hope that the committee on foreign relations would report a resolution for the recognition of the Cuban belligerents.

### MAY RECOGNIZE CUBANS.

**Majority of Foreign Affairs Committee Favor This Action.**

Washington, Jan. 10.—It is the purpose of the committee on foreign relations to take up especially the Cuban, Venezuelan, and Armenian questions, with incidental reference in connection with the Venezuelan subject to the Monroe doctrine at once. While there is no positive information obtainable at this time, there are reasons for believing that precedence will be given to the Cuban question. This question will be considered when taken up on the basis of the propriety of recognizing the belligerency of the insurgents. There is unquestionably a majority in the committee favorable to granting this recognition, but there may be a division of sentiment as to the time when it should be given. Some of the members of the committee feel that the time is almost ripe for a positive demonstration on the part of this country in Turkish waters to emphasize the determination of the United States to protect its subjects in that quarter.

### Pension Bill Reported.

Washington, Jan. 10.—The pension appropriation bill was reported to the house Thursday. The bill carries an appropriation of \$141,325,820, which is about the sum appropriated last year, and is estimated by the commissioner of pensions to be necessary. The bill also provides that a widow in establishing her claim to a pension under the act of June 27, 1890, need not prove that she is without other means of support than her daily labor, but to this was added that "she shall prove that her net income does not exceed \$500 per annum."

### Deficiencies in Appropriations.

Washington, Jan. 10.—Secretary Carlisle Thursday sent to the house a letter transmitting estimates of deficiencies in appropriations, amounting to \$4,343,456 required to meet urgent demands of the government for the service of the current and prior fiscal years. The more important items include the following: State department, \$27,076; treasury department, \$607,487; war department, \$75,387; department of justice, \$3,432,296.

### Iowa Mule Law Will Stand.

Des Moines, Iowa, Jan. 10.—The members have had enough time to talk of the prospective work of the session to make it tolerably apparent that those who believe a bill permitting the manufacture of liquor would pass this winter were mistaken. Several members of the house who were counted on to vote for such a measure have announced their opposition to it openly. It now looks as if no affirmative action on the liquor question could be expected; that is, that the mule law will not be amended, and that both the resubmission of a prohibitory amendment and the manufacturing bill will be defeated.

### Illinois Live Stock Breeders.

Springfield, Ill., Jan. 10.—At the meeting of the Illinois Live Stock Breeders' association yesterday officers were elected as follows: President, J. W. Judy; secretary, J. H. Pickrell; treasurer, Charles Ridgeley.

## TOWNS WIPED OUT BY AN EARTHQUAKE

### A HORROR IS REPORTED IN PERSIA.

**Three Hundred Lives are Said to be Lost—Thousands of Horses and Many Cattle Destroyed—Fearful Havoc Wrought in a Prosperous District, the Province of Azerbaijan.**

Teheran, Persia, Jan. 10.—Two earthquakes have occurred in the district of Khalkhal, the first on the night of Jan. 2. Upon that occasion the large village of Janjabad was destroyed, several others were partially destroyed and 300 persons were killed.

The second earthquake occurred during the morning of Jan. 5 and was very severe. It was felt over an area of 100 miles. The town of Goli was destroyed and 1,000 houses were demolished. In addition great damage was done to many villages. The loss of life was very great. There were 800 persons killed in Goli alone and large numbers of cattle and sheep perished also.

In September, 1881, Goli was visited by a series of violent earthquakes, the seismic waves running northwest and southeast in the direction of the main mountain ranges. The population numbered about 30,000, including Armenians, who occupied a separate quarter of the city.

The province of Azerbaijan is one of the most fertile in Persia and travelers give enthusiastic descriptions of its orchards and gardens and the delicious fruits which they yield. The population is of a very varied character, comprising Kurds, Armenians, Assyrians, Tartars, Persians proper and other tribes, and is roughly estimated at 2,000,000. The Persian army is largely composed of natives of Azerbaijan and the province is under the government of the heir apparent to the Persian throne.

### THE ST. LOUIS EXPLOSION.

**Coroner's Jury Fixes the Blame for the Disaster.**

St. Louis, Mo., Jan. 10.—The coroner's jury, which has been in session since Monday investigating the explosion which caused such destruction of life and property last week, returned the following verdict: "We, the jury, find that F. J. Niehaus, Paul Hauptner, Louis Dey, Norman McArthur, A. H. Schneitz and Albert Chamelier came to their deaths from an explosion of fireworks at 309 North Second street at 1 p. m., Jan. 2. Said explosion was caused by the storage of unsafe and dangerous fireworks in the rear of 309 North Second street and improper and insufficient help being employed by H. B. Grubbs to care for the same."

### Gomez Escapes from the "Trap."

Havana, Jan. 10.—News has been received that Maximo Gomez with 2,000 of the insurgent forces has again passed the plantation of San Antonio and the towns of Alquizar and Guira Melena. His present whereabouts and his proposed destination are not at present known, but his movement is practically a countermarch over the same route by which he entered the province of Pinar del Rio. Gomez is therefore well out of the region in the province of Pinar del Rio in which it was said he was being enmeshed as in a trap.

### Mesaba Miners May Join.

Cleveland, Ohio, Jan. 10.—Representatives of all the companies owning Bessemer iron ore mines in the Lake Superior region are in conference here for the purpose of reaching an agreement, if possible, to limit the annual output at each mine. Last year a similar agreement was made by the companies operating all the mines, except those in the Mesaba range. The Mesaba men are at the present meeting, and the others hope to bring them into line.

### Massachusetts Schooner Lost.

Gloucester, Mass., Jan. 10.—The schooner J. H. Carey left here August 20 for the Grand Banks, touched at Liverpool, N. S., and has not been seen since. The vessel's owners, Oakes & Foster, have given her up as lost, and post the crew list, which is as follows: Henry W. Christenson, native of Denmark. Lewis Nelson, cook, Denmark. Six seamen from Norway. Four seamen from Sweden. One seaman from Nova Scotia.

### Dimmock-Harrison Engagement.

New York, Jan. 10.—Positive announcements come from Indianapolis concerning the much-talked-of engagement of ex-President Harrison and Mrs. Mary Scott Dimmock, and though neither one of the contracting parties will say a word it is nearly certain that the marriage will take place before Lent. It will be solemnized at Mrs. Dimmock's home and will probably be a very quiet affair.

### Tennessee's Chief Justice Indicted.

Chattanooga, Tenn., Jan. 10.—Chief Justice Snodgrass was yesterday indicted by the grand jury on a charge of assault with intent to commit murder in the first degree. The action is the result of the shooting of Col. John R. Beasley by Judge Snodgrass Dec. 16.

### Ex-Governor of Minnesota Dead.

St. Paul, Minn., Jan. 10.—Ex-Governor W. R. Marshall, of Minnesota, died at 10:40 o'clock Wednesday night at Pasadena, Cal., where he went about two years ago for his health.

## A STRONG ALLIANCE AGAINST BRITAIN

### NEW AND POWERFUL TRIPLE ORGANIZATION.

**Germany, Russia and France Have A War Dreihund—Situation Now Appears to be More Strongly Warlike—Boers are Impatient—The South African Company's Demands.**

London, Jan. 10.—A special dispatch from Berlin yesterday says that Russia's co-operation with Germany in the Transvaal matter has been assured and that France will act with Russia. This, apparently, tends to confirm the report of an anti-British alliance, and that the action of Emperor William toward the Boer republic was a thoroughly weighed step.

### THE BOERS' DEMANDS.

**Great Britain Thinks They Were Inspired by Emperor William.**

London, Jan. 10.—The dispatch from Berlin to the Times saying that it is explained that Germany only desired to protect German residents and its consulate at Pretoria by dispatching an armed force from Delagoa Bay and that no arrangement on the subject had previously been made with Portugal has tended to produce a better feeling.

But this slight change for the better has been counteracted by the receipt of a special dispatch from Pretoria, capital of the Transvaal, saying that the Boers demanded the surrender of all British rights and suzerainty over the Transvaal and the pre-emption of Delagoa Bay and the canceling of the charter of the British South Africa company. It is further stated that the Boers have arrested, on the charge of treason, eight leaders of the present movement among the Uitlanders of Johannesburg.

These demands, if the dispatch is based on fact, coupled with the previously reported demands of the Boers for the expulsion from Africa of Mr. Cecil Rhodes, ex-premier of Cape Colony, and Dr. Jameson, who led the freebooters into the Transvaal, and the imposition of a very heavy fine upon the British Chartered Company, or the demand of an indemnity of \$2,500,000 from Great Britain, or both, are not likely to be granted by the British government without a severe struggle.

The opposition to the demands of the Boers, however, will mainly rest on the fact that it is generally admitted that they are instigated, on the whole, by Emperor William and that they form part of a studied opposition upon his majesty's part to the colonial policy of Great Britain in Africa.

The secretary of state for the colonies, Mr. Joseph Chamberlain, has sent the following dispatch to President Kruger: "I have received the queen's command to acquaint you that her majesty has heard with satisfaction that you have decided to hand over the prisoners to her government. This fact will redound to your credit and conduce to the peace of South Africa and the harmonious co-operation of the British and Dutch races, which is necessary for its future development and prosperity."

It is admitted in some quarters, however, that on the face of things the South African republic would be justified in demanding an indemnity from Great Britain for the invasion of the Boer territory, and there is a general sentiment in favor of dealing severely with the British Chartered company, especially as it is claimed in Pretoria that the Transvaal authorities have documentary evidence showing that the raid and uprising in Johannesburg were portions of a plot, official or unofficial, to annex the Transvaal to British South Africa. But, it is held here, there is no justification for demanding the expulsion of Mr. Rhodes from South Africa or for the surrender of British rights and suzerainty over the Transvaal, or for the cancellation of the agreement made in 1891, between Portugal and Great Britain, by which the latter country has the first right of purchasing Delagoa Bay, should Portugal desire to part with it.

The Berlin and Vienna newspapers regard the warlike preparations of Great Britain as being of little importance, however, and as being more in the nature of a political move than a military undertaking, so far as Germany is concerned; but the same periodicals take a serious view of the proposed strengthening of the British forces in South Africa, which step is regarded as having in view a possible aggressive action toward the South African republic.

At the same time, it should be added, the chances of war between Great Britain and Germany are looked upon as being remote, and there is a decided tone of backdown in the utterances of the German press toward Great Britain. In the meantime there is little or no abatement in the anti-German feeling here. At a meeting of the London Radical Federation, after many fiery speeches, a resolution was passed demanding the immediate removal of the name of Emperor William from the British army and navy lists.

A baseless report, which was received at the meeting, that the officers of the First Dragoons, in garrison at Dublin, of which regiment the emperor was made honorary colonel by Queen Victoria, had burned his majesty in effigy, was greeted with loud and prolonged outburst of cheering and other ap-

plause. The colonel of the First Dragoons telegraphed that there is absolutely no ground for this story.

At the foreign office the dispatch saying that the Boers demanded the banishment of Mr. Rhodes from Africa and the abandonment of the rights of Great Britain regarding the Transvaal and Delagoa Bay were discredited on the ground that Sir Hercules Robinson, the governor of Cape Colony, in his dispatches to the colonial office has made no mention of any such demands or conditions.

### BOERS ARE IMPATIENT.

**Leaders Have Great Difficulty in Restraining Their Followers.**

Pretoria, Jan. 10.—The government is showing discontent at the reluctance displayed by the Rand men to disarm. It is estimated that 3,000 of the latter have been armed, and only 2,000 have yielded up their weapons. The armed Boers in the field also are impatient. The position at Johannesburg is critical, and the Boer leaders have the utmost difficulty in restraining their men.

A proclamation has been issued calling upon all the Rand men to disarm before 6 o'clock on Friday evening, on pain of prosecution. Those complying will be pardoned, except the leaders of the revolt. There is a feeling here that the Rhodes charter will be canceled to prevent further disorders.

Johannesburg, Jan. 10.—Sympathy with Dr. Jameson makes the Uitlanders reluctant to disarm, but as it is estimated that there are 20,000 armed Boers around this town there is no fear of further rebellion. The shops are reopening, and business is resuming its normal course. It develops that Dr. Jameson's force marched 160 miles in ninety hours, never halting more than two hours at a time.

The directors of the Chartered South Africa company have decided to request the government to institute an inquiry into Dr. Jameson's action. The Times has an editorial which strongly protests against canceling the Rhodes charter.

### NO SYNDICATE DEAL.

**Senator Caffery Makes Public a Letter from President Cleveland.**

Washington, Jan. 10.—Senator Caffery of Louisiana made a letter public last night written to him by President Cleveland the night before the bond issue was made. The letter was called out by the fact that Senator Caffery defended the administration in the acrimonious debate on the Elkins resolution which took place Friday afternoon.

It was charged by a New York paper that the president had entered into an arrangement with the Morgan syndicate to let it take the entire issue of bonds at 105. In his letter Mr. Cleveland takes up these charges and disposes of them singly. He admits that the executive had taken steps to inform itself of the best method of selling bonds, but he indignantly denied that any arrangement whatever had been entered into with the Morgan or any other syndicate.

He says that since the time when it first became apparent that another issue of bonds would be necessary it had been the intention of the administration to make a popular loan and ask the people themselves to bid for the bonds. Mr. Cleveland specifically denies that he was visited by any representative of the syndicate and goes at some length into the reasons which governed the administration in making the last bond announcement.

### Reichstag Cheers the Government.

Berlin, Jan. 10.—The reichstag re-assembled yesterday. Count Von Kanitz, the agrarian leader, during the course of his remarks on the bourse reform bill, referred to the Transvaal dispute, saying that the recent energetic attitude of the imperial government in defense of the interests of the German people and the German empire had met with universal approval. This remark was greeted with loud applause.

### School Children in Danger.

Springfield, Ohio, Jan. 10.—The boilers of the northern school building of this city have been tampered with by unknown persons in such a way as would have caused an explosion, endangering the lives of several hundred pupils, had not the janitor made the discovery. The deed has aroused great indignation.

### Story Denied at London.

London, Jan. 10.—The colonial office has published a denial of the report, which reached here from Caracas, Venezuela, via New York, that British troops, with cannon, from Demorara, had arrived at Cuyuni, a station at the extreme limit of the British claim on the disputed territory and the scene of the Uruan incident.

### Venezuelan Officials Not Disturbed.

Washington, Jan. 10.—The reports that a considerable force of British Guiana troops have taken up a position on the Cuyuni river is not given great significance by the Venezuelan authorities here. This post has been occupied by the British for three years, so that the movement, if it has occurred, is not an advance to new territory.

### American Chess Champion Loses.

St. Petersburg, Jan. 10.—Pillsbury and Lasker both lost yesterday in the chess tournament, the tail-enders, Tschigorin and Steinitz, defeating them. The result of these games is to bring the four contestants much closer together, and now it is conceded that every man in the tournament has a chance.

## REPUBLICAN HOSTS MEET IN MILAUKKE

### STATE CONVENTION WILL CON- VENE MARCH 18.

**Will be the Largest Ever Held in the State as 687 Delegates Will be Present—Dr. W. A. Jones Temporary Chairman—Opposition to Reapportionment.**

Milwaukee, Wis., Jan. 10.—Wisconsin republicans will meet in convention in Milwaukee March 18 to elect delegates to the national convention of the party, which is to be held in St. Louis. The convention will be the largest in the history of the state, the basis of representation having been largely increased. There will be 687 delegates, nearly three hundred more than were present at the last convention. Dr. W. A. Jones of Oconomowoc was elected chairman to serve until the state convention, when the vacancy caused by the death of H. C. Thom will be filled. Unless there is a change in sentiment, it looks as if the twenty-four votes of Wisconsin will be cast for William McKinley at St. Louis.

### Opposition to Reapportionment.

Madison, Wis., Jan. 10.—It has leaked out that there is some opposition among Republicans to the reapportionment bill as it now stands, and state officials expressed the belief the special legislative session may last ten days before a bill is arranged which will suit every one.

### THROUGH A BRIDGE.

**Loaded Trolley Car Drops Into a Creek Near Bedford, O.**

Cleveland, O., Jan. 10.—A terrible accident occurred on the Akron, Bedford & Cleveland electric railroad, near Bedford, shortly after 7 o'clock yesterday. A heavy motor car and a coal car plunged through the trestle over Tinker's creek. The dead:

WILLIAM YOUNG of Cuyahoga Falls, O., body terribly mangled.

HAYMAKER, Gallion, O.

The injured:

Charles Gieb, legs and arm broken and hurt internally.

Later reports show that there were no passengers on the motor and that only the crew, consisting of three men, went down in the wreck. The bridge that collapsed was a frail structure and was built by the A. B. & C. company, for the traffic of its road. It was erected on an incline, one end being considerably higher than the other. The span that crossed the creek was about 175 feet long and the train was just about in the center of this span when the structure opened up as though it were made of cardboard and allowed the train with its human freight to plunge to the ravine below.

### APPEALED TO AMERICA.

**President Kruger Asked for the Moral Support of the United States.**

Chicago, Jan. 10.—A special dispatch to the Tribune from its London correspondent says: I am notified from Berlin that President Kruger appealed by cable simultaneously to Germany, and the United States at the time of the first news of Jameson's raid. His message to the president of the United States asked for the moral support of the great American republic against what he regarded as a British plot to subvert the independence of the republic of South Africa.

This information being correct, it is to be noted that the next day after the alleged dispatch of this message to President Cleveland, Ambassador Bayard called at the foreign office here, possibly to make representations to Lord Salisbury upon the basis of President Kruger's appeal.

### Cruiser Baltimore in a Hurricane.

San Francisco, Cal., Jan. 10.—The schooner Aloha, Captain Dabel, brings news of the arrival of the United States cruiser Baltimore at Honolulu on December 23 in a battered condition. The cruiser was two weeks overdue from Yokohama and experienced most frightful weather on its voyage. At one time it was thought the warship would roll over and go to the bottom. During the storm, Boatswain Jensen was washed overboard and drowned. A seaman was injured so badly that he has since died.

### Canada's Premier Will Not Resign.

Ottawa, Ont., Jan. 10.—In the senate yesterday afternoon Sir Mackenzie Bowell made his promised statement regarding the ministerial crisis. He said he had been desirous of resigning, but Lord Aberdeen had declined to allow him to do so, holding as his government had made promises in the speech from the throne to introduce a remedial bill with reference to Manitoba schools it would be considered that action on the speech should first be taken.

### Illinois Farmers' Institute.

Springfield, Ill., Jan. 10.—A meeting of the board of directors of the Illinois Farmers' Institute was held yesterday, at which F. M. Patmer, of Clinton, was elected president. The annual meeting of the Illinois Live Stock Breeders' Association was held, at which addresses were delivered on cattle, horse, hog, sheep and poultry interests. A slimly attended meeting of the Illinois Association of Mutual Fire Insurance Companies was also held, at which a number of addresses were delivered.



## ROCK COUNTY GRANGE FOR THE NEW TARIFF

### FARMERS WANT THE HOUSE BILL PASSED.

Very Little Time Wasted in Debate  
When the Question of More Six  
Cent Wheel and Three Cent Tobacco  
is Raised—A Flat Footed Decla-  
ration.

Tariff was discussed vigorously at the annual meeting of Rock County Pomona grange. The bill passed by the house, restoring the duties on wool and several other lines, was endorsed warmly. This resolution was adopted:

Resolved, By Rock County Pomona grange in session this 8th day of January, 1896, that we respectfully request our senators in congress to vote and use their influence for the tariff bill that recently passed the house.

Very little debate was needed to convince the meeting that six cent wool and three cent tobacco was not for the best interests of the country.

### MILTON COLLEGE LECTURES

Three Hundred People's Heard S. S. Rockwood Speak—Other News.

Milton, Jan. 10.—Nearly three hundred people greeted Major Rockwood, Tuesday evening in the college chapel. His lecture was the first in the course to be given this winter. The subject, "The Weather Bureau of the United States," was very well handled. Those who were present pronounced it a splendid lecture, so concise and yet so perfect in style was it. Major Rockwood began his lecture by giving a little advice to the students in the form of "Don't be in a hurry. There is time enough yet. Get ample preparation." He showed how the present weather bureau had its beginning only a few years ago in the signal service of the war department, how it was transferred to the department of agriculture and how its present efficiency depends in a large measure on what its own officers make it. Surely the excellence of this lecture is a very auspicious omen of what is to follow in the remainder of the course.

### Lodge Officers Installed.

Lodge Deputy W. P. Clarke installed the officers of Du Lac Lodge I. O. O. F., Monday evening. They are as follows: E. F. Davy, N. G.; W. P. Marquart, E. S. N. G.; O. E. W. P. Marquart, S. N. G.; M. C. Whitford, V. G.; A. D. Burdick, R. S. V. G.; I. Kelly, L. S. V. G.; B. H. Stillman, S.; D. Y. Berkalew, P. S.; W. W. Clarke, T.; M. Rice, W.; B. F. Ballard, Con.; P. M. Green, R. S. S.; W. H. Walrath, L. S. S.; W. H. Weaver, I. G.; W. Ind, O. G.; C. E. Carpenter, chaplain.

Officers of the Rebecca Lodge were installed Tuesday evening for the present term. They are as follows: Mrs. W. P. Marquart, N. G.; W. H. Davidson, R. S. N. G.; Mrs. Cora E. Dickinson, V. G.; Miss Ella Atherton, R. S. V. G.; Mrs. H. G. Maxson, L. S. V. G.; Mrs. E. H. Carey, R. S.; Mrs. E. H. Carey, R. S.; Mrs. O. M. Rice, P. S.; Mrs. W. H. Davidson, Treas.; B. H. Wells, W.; Miss Treasure Wilmarth, C.; Mrs. C. S. Swan, I. G.; Mrs. A. C. Hudson, O. G.; Mrs. I. A. Sowle, Chap.

The officers of A. D. Hamilton Post, G. A. R. were installed by E. F. Weigle, and those of the W. E. C. by Mrs. Stillman of Edgerton, Wednesday evening. The ladies served supper after the ceremonies.

### Working At the Depot.

Workmen have been doing things at the depot this week. One gang of men have been erecting the new steel windmill and another putting in a bay window on the north side of the depot. On Tuesday evening, January 14, President Harvey of Milwaukee, appears in the college lecture course. His subject is "The Practical in Education" and while it is a topic of special interest to educators, none the less valuable to the general public. President Harvey is a forcible speaker and his many friends and acquaintances here anticipate much pleasure in hearing his pleasant voice from the rostrum where he often appeared in bygone days, as a student and classmate. Supt. Thorne visited our school Wednesday. E. B. Saunders, the "Banker Evangelist," has gone to Shiloh, New Jersey, to conduct revival meetings. Mrs. E. Palmert has been visiting relatives at Marengo, Ill. W. O. Place, of Alfred, N. Y., is the guest of Milton relatives. J. C. Goodrich is putting up his stock of ice on the bank of Storr's lake.

### Pastor Prints Calendar.

Rev. George R. Chambers, pastor of the Congregational church, has presented his parishioners and acquaintances with handsome calendars. A picture of the church is one of the features. They were printed by the pastor himself and are a credit to the printer.

Awarded  
Highest Honors—World's Fair,  
"DR."

**PRICE'S  
CREAM  
BAKING  
POWDER**  
MOST PERFECT MADE.

A pure Grape Cream of Tartar Powder. No Ammonia, Alkali or any other adulterant.  
40 YEARS THE STANDARD.

One day this week John Fetherston lost his gold watch. The mechanics who are erecting the wind mill were shoveling up the debris about the yard and one of them noticed something bright on the scarp shovel. It was John's watch. Mrs. Emma Jordan-Thomas entertained the ladies of the relief corps at a six o'clock tea Thursday, in honor of Mrs. H. W. Wood, of Washburn. Elijah Hudson is confined to the house with a lame back. He slipped in going from the house to the barn and wrenched himself.

### FULTON LEAF HALF STRIPPED.

Farmers Are Now Anxiously Awaiting for Favorable Weather to Continue Work.

Fulton, Jan. 10.—The farmers have about half of their tobacco stripped and are ready for the buyers to inspect. Some are making calculations to go to work assorting. The cold weather for the past few days has froze it out but a warm spell will soon enable them to resume work, which all are anxious to do. Murwin Bros. have added a new attraction in the way of a five and ten cent counter. They find their store much too small for their business and are contemplating building on this spring.

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\$20 Suits and Ulsters, .....\$10.00

\$15 Suits and Ulsters, .....7.50

\$10 Suits and Overcoats, .....5.00

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\$6 Boys' Suits and Ulsters, .....3.00

\$3 Boys' Suits and Reefers, .....1.50

\$5 fine Wool Pants, .....2.50

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Congregation Remember Him and His Family in a Substantial Way.

Center, January 10.—On Tuesday evening about sixty people of this place gathered at the parsonage, the occasion being a surprise on the new pastor and his family. The evening was spent with games of various kinds in which the young and old all took a part. The Center orchestra was in attendance and during the evening discoursed some very choice selections which were highly appreciated by all present. About 10 o'clock a sumptuous lunch was served after which Rev. Spencer made a few fitting remarks, thanking his congregation for the kindness shown him and his family, and for the substantial given them, closing with prayer. Miss Stella Crow who has been at Clinton for some time past returned home the first of the week. Mrs. Torpy is on the sick list. The Center Insurance Co. met at the home of J. B. Whitmore on Tuesday to elect officers for the coming year. Mrs. Flora Campbell who has been in Janesville several weeks is at home again. She made quite a number of calls among her old friends here Wednesday. William Crow is suffering severely with rheumatism. If nothing prevents a series of protracted meetings will begin at the Disciple church on January 15th. While in town call on F. A. Vankirk and buy a pound of his prepared coffee which requires no cream. Our blacksmith Thomas Montjoy is doing a rushing business. Miss Mary Snyder who has been taking the Diamond Garment cutting system at Footville graduated with high honors on Tuesday. Fred Fuller is confined to his home with lung trouble.

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## A Badger

We have a Badger range in excellent condition that is for sale very cheap. We also have a Majestic range that cost \$45. It was set up and used three weeks. We want to sell it for \$20. It's in fine order. A splendid heating stove with oven for \$25. Lowell Hardware Co.

## Half Prices On Fur Garments.

In our large ad of this evening we quote prices on fur capes and cloaks that should reach the pocket of every lady in the vicinity. You will notice we have simply cut the prices equally in half. If you would save money on winter garments the opportunity we offer should not slip by. Bort, Bailey & Co.

## WANTED.

**WANTED** Place to work mornings, evenings and Saturdays, for my board. Ad dress "Student," Box 1003 Janesville, P. O.  
**WANTED**—Girl for general housework. Inquire at register of deed's office.

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City Missionary Mary Kimball Acknowledges All Contributions with Thanks.

City Missionary Mary Kimball returns thanks for the following donations to the poor of the city:

A friend, cash \$5; Mrs. James McLean, cash \$1; Rev. Dean E. M. McGinnity, seven turkeys; William Burchell, four sacks flour; Dry Extract Company, six jars Milkine; Dunn Bros., Mrs. S. P. Wilder, Mrs. Andrew Porter, Y. M. C. A., Miss Phoebe Lamphier's Sunday school class, a friend, First M. E. church, Mrs. Carrie McDonald, Ed. Jones, Mrs. Wheeler, a friend, Powell Bros., Ed. Jones, Dunn Bros., Nolan Bros., Grubb & Hayner, Mrs. Cunningham, Ed Jones, Mrs. Reger, Ed Jones, Mrs. Cunningham, food. Rev. F. A. Pease, Mrs. S. P. Wilder, Mrs. Andrew Porter, a friend, Mrs. Wheeler, Mrs. Beckett, Willie Moffatt, Charles Mott, Mrs. Cunningham, a friend, Mrs. James McLean, Ellen Quinlity, Grace Newell, a friend, Mrs. Calif, Miss Permelia Wilhemery, clothing; Samuel Wright, bedding; William Kammer, Harper Bros., meat; a friend, shoes; A. P. Lovejoy, J. H. Gateley, wood; John Plowright, coal; Rev. S. P. Wilder, heating stove, rocker, and oil stove; Miss Susie Jeffris, Mr. Newell, papers; Mrs. Clithero, child's crib; Mrs. Stevens, books; Mrs. O. D. Bates, candy, nuts and apples; Mrs. Luther Clark, Mrs. Stevens, dolls; Little John Kimball, Mrs. Stevens, toys; Dr. H. H. Dickinson, Dr. E. F. Woods, Dr. James Mills, services rendered free; John W. Masterson, drayage free.

## WAR SCARE SENDS DRUGS UPWARD

Optum and Oil of Cassia Take a Jump in Price.

As a result of the war scare in the east both optum and oil of cassia have taken a jump in price. "The optum 'crop' this year is quoted as being an extra large one" remarked a local druggist "but in spite of this the late troubles in Turkey has had its effect. Cassia is an indispensable article to all soap makers. Camphor would naturally be higher but for the fact that many substitutes are to be had."

## Devil's Auction is Fine.

A St. Paul correspondent speaks of The Devil's Auction, which will be here tonight, in this strain:

At Little's Grand Opera House Charles H. Yale's strong and clever company produced his Newest Devil's Auction December 22-28, opening to full houses and S. R. O. The place this year has many new and attractive features that make it an enjoyable entertainment throughout. The large audiences were delighted with the performance. The mechanical effects, scenery and settings were very effective, the costumes rich, artistic and attractive, and the pantomime spectacles are mirth provoking and took well. The Marionettes and the page dancers are new and attractive features. Signorita Emilia Bartoletti and Anna Beal are very graceful and artistic dancers. Anna Moore finely sustained the role of Count Fortuna. Mildred Holden was very pleasing as Carlos, Chris Bruno was excellent in the part of Toby, William Ruge was very clever as the Imp of Darkness, Mamie Fulton as the milkmaid and Lucie Oerbo as Crystalina were very clever in their parts. The transformations were a taking feature. The performances took well with the patrons and there is promise of a good weeks business.

Wife—Here's an account of a man who shot himself rather than suffer the pangs of indigestion. Husband—The fool! Why didn't he take De Witt's Little Early Risers? I used to suffer as bad as he did before I commenced taking those little pills. C. D. Stevens.

## In Half.

Glance over the following list of prices on cloaks and jackets, and then deliberate:

Fur capes from \$10, down to \$5.  
 Fur capes from \$20, down to \$10.  
 Fur capes from \$30, down to \$15.  
 Fur capes from \$40, down to \$20.  
 Fur capes from \$50, down to \$25.  
 Cloth jackets from \$6, down to \$3.  
 " jackets from \$8, down to \$4.  
 " jackets from \$10, down to \$5.  
 " jackets from \$15, down to \$7.  
 " jackets from \$20, down to \$10.  
 " jackets from \$25, down to \$12.50.

## BORT, BAILEY & CO.

Home Seekers' Excursion to the South. On January 14, 28, February 11 and March 10, 1896, the North-Western Line will sell Home Seeker's Excursion tickets to a large number of points in Kentucky, Tennessee, Mississippi, Louisiana, Arkansas, Indian Territory, Oklahoma, Texas and Arizona. For tickets and full information apply to Agents Chicago & North-Western Railway.

One Minute Cough Cure is rightly named. It affords instant relief from suffering when afflicted with a severe cough or cold. It acts on the throat, bronchial tubes and lungs and never fails to give immediate relief. C. D. Stevens.

## Oak Lawn Hospital.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Oak Lawn Hospital Association will be held at the rooms of the Business Men's Association on Tuesday evening, January 14, 1896. S. B. SMITH, Secretary.

## LOCAL NEWS IN A LINE.

PRETTY jardiniere from 50 cents to \$1.00. Very cheap for them. Lowell's Annex.

We have just five fur capes left and \$4.75 will take any of them. Lowell's Annex.

THREE cakes of Buttermilk, Cucumbers or Trilby perfumed toilet soap for 10 cents. Lowell's Annex.

We are selling a great deal of wood, sawed, split and delivered as people want it. F. A. Taylor.

A VERY pretty picture, nicely framed, an ornament to the house, only 40 cents. Lowell's annex.

We have an elegant line of imported water sets, from \$1.50 to \$2.50; usually sell for \$4. Lowell's Annex.

FIFTY cents will be paid at the Gazette office for copies of the city map published by W. F. Curtis.

We sell tablets—big ones for 3 and 4 cents, slates, pencils, inks, books and all sorts of school supplies. Lowell's Annex.

Wood in any quantity and sawed, split and delivered just as you want it. F. A. Taylor, Pleasant and River streets.

DeWitt's Little Early Risers for biliousness, indigestion, constipation. A small pill, a sure cure. C. D. Stevens.

CUTTER weather will come again soon. Better pick out a cutter for the next installment of the beautiful. F. A. Taylor.

## Not Nearly to Talk.

The attention of the ladies of Janesville we would attract by the very low prices winter wraps are selling for down our way. You will notice by looking over the list we present in our large ad that the price on every garment has been cut in half. The statement is a correct one, these goods did bring just double the price we now ask for them. You will agree with us on seeing the stock. Bort, Bailey & Co.

## Children's Time

We have about two dozen children's cape overcoats left that must go at once, and to bring that about we have decided that the price must do it for it is late. They run from three to nine years and you can buy one at absolute cost. They are all fair goods, no trash for the occasion. F. H. Baack.

## She Told the Truth.

A lady told the truth the other day when she said those flannel night shirts at 75 cents were cheaper than trying to make them at home. Best things for cold nights they are better than a hot flatiron. Frank H. Baack.

## IT INCREASES FLESH.

The New Dyspepsia Cure Does It.

## A Few Remarkable Instances.

Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets, the new discovery which has made so many remarkable cures of dyspepsia and indigestion, has recently shown that it also has the effect of increasing the flesh and weight of thin, run-down people and invalids. This is done in a perfectly natural manner. The tablets by restoring perfect digestion cannot fail to increase the weight and general vigor because the first effect of perfect digestion, following the use of Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets, is a vigorous appetite, then complete digestion and assimilation of food eaten, and the result is every muscle, nerve, ligament in the body is nourished and the increase in flesh is noticeable in some cases within a week after using the remedy.

Dr. Harlandson mentions many cases in his own practice where Stuart's Tablets were used an increase of flesh was very noticeable in each case. The doctor says: "Whenever I have a patient whose stomach is disordered, tongue coated, poor appetite and run-down condition my advice to such is to go to the nearest drug store and get a 50-cent package of Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets, and the result will be the stomach will be set right, perfect digestion restored, all nervousness disappear and in many cases I have seen the weight increased 15 or 20 pounds. I recommend this remedy in preference to any other because it is not a secret patent medicine but is perfectly pure and wholesome, composed of vegetable essences, fruit salts, pure pepsin and bismuth, and can be given to delicate babies with benefit."

Another case is that of Miss Helen Sholes, of Nashville, who writes as follows: "Up to the fall of 1893 I had suffered from dyspepsia for nearly eight years. I was not sick in bed, but was so miserable, run down, discouraged and nervous that I might better have been in a hospital for any good I was to myself or others. For years I had been thin, pale and dyspeptic. Our good old family doctor did all he could for me, and finally advised me to try Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets, telling me there was no risk in taking it because it was not a secret patent medicine, but every physician knew what the tablets contained. Acting on his advice I went to the drug store, bought half a dozen packages and before they were half gone I knew the right medicine had been found at last. I enjoy an appetite, strength and freedom from weakness that I had never known previously. I gained 15 pounds in weight and while I am not fat (I don't want to be) yet my friends say I am plump enough and any more flesh would be undesirable."

The one great thing about Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets is that it can be taken with perfect safety, the formula being known to every physician. No wonderful secret patent medicine can compare with it. Think twice before you put something into your stomach you know nothing about, and if you are run down in flesh, have any trouble with the stomach or poor appetite ask your druggist for Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets and take no substitute. If your druggist has not got them insist on his getting them for you, as they are sold by all wholesale druggists.

Circulars and information free by addressing Stuart Co., Marshall, Mich.

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➤ All new,  
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At Half Price, and a Muff Free!

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We are selling more Wood than we had any idea we would sell. The reason of it is that we make

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We have all kinds and deliver it sawed and split to any part of the city.

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of insurance companies are numerous just now. The figures emphasize this fact—that no insurance is worth having unless it gives safety and absolute protection. Let us submit some facts on the companies in our agency.

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For Sale by Prentice & Evenson, Janesville.

## Railroad Time-Tables.

Chicago & Northwestern	LEAVE FOR	ARRIVE FROM
Chgo Via Clinton	6:35 a.m.	9:30 p.m.
Chgo Via Clinton & Sharon	7:55 a.m.	8:25 p.m.
Chgo Via Clinton & Sharon	12:40 p.m.	12:40 p.m.
Chgo Via Clinton & Sharon	6:40 p.m.	1:20 a.m.
Chgo Via Beloit & Harvard	7:00 a.m.	6:30 a.m.
Chgo Via Beloit & Harvard	2:10 p.m.	11:35 a.m.
Beloit, Rockford, Freeport, Dekalb & Omaha line	12:33 p.m.	10:30 a.m.
Beloit, Rockford, Belvidere & Elgin	6:40 p.m.	10:25 p.m.
Watertown, Fond Du Lac & Oshkosh	7:00 a.m.	12:15 p.m.
Watertown, Fond Du Lac & Oshkosh	2:5 p.m.	10:40 p.m.
Watertown & Junction Freight	4:40 p.m.	7:50 a.m.
Watertown	8:5 p.m.	
Evansville Brooklyn Oregon	6:30 a.m.	
Madison & Elgin	10:50 a.m.	3:05 p.m.
La Crosse Winona & St Paul	8:25 p.m.	12:05 a.m.
Leyden Fellows Evansville Brooklyn Oregon & Madison	8:25 p.m.	12:05 a.m.
Evansville Madison	9:00 a.m.	6:35 a.m.
& Duluth	1:30 a.m.	6:35 p.m.
Evansville Madison St Paul	2:15 p.m.	1:15 p.m.
Chgo Via Beloit & Harvard		
*Daily & Sunday only.		

Chicago, Mil. & St. Paul	Leave For	Arrive From
Milwaukee Whitewater	7:00 a.m.	9:30 a.m.
Waukesha and Chgo	7:30 a.m.	9:40 a.m.
St. Paul, La Crosse, Potosi and Madison	4:40 p.m.	7:45 p.m.
Edgerton, Stoughton and Madison, mixed	4:40 p.m.	11:15 a.m.
Dakota, Iowa, Winona and Prairie du Chien	4:40 p.m.	11:15 a.m.
Chicago, Elgin, Rockford and Beloit	9:35 a.m.	4:55 p.m.
Chicago, Elgin, Rockford, Beloit, Rock Island, Cedar Rapids, Dubuque, Clinton, Keokuk, and West Freeport, Racine, Elkhorn and Delavan	1:10 p.m.	4:05 p.m.
Beloit, Rockford, St. Paul, Sioux City, Omaha, Denver and west fast train	6:35 p.m.	9:20 a.m.
Beloit and Rockford, mixed	9:35 p.m.	6:40 p.m.
Monroe and Mineral Point	9:25 a.m.	9:25 a.m.
Monroe and Mineral Pt.	6:15 a.m.	5:40 p.m.
Monroe and Mineral Pt.	7:15 a.m.	5:40 p.m.
* Sunday only		

## MAILS ARRIVE AND LEAVE

JANESVILLE MAILS	Arrive	Close
Chicago, East, West, South-West	6:00 a.m.	9:30 a.m.
North and Northwest	7:35 a.m.	10:40 a.m.
Chicago, East, North and Northwest	9:40 a.m.	12:00 p.m.
Chicago, North, East, West and General	12:40 p.m.	6:00 p.m.
Chicago, East and all points	6:00 p.m.	8:00 p.m.
North and West, via Madison	6:30 p.m.	8:00 p.m.
SUNDAY MAILS		
Chicago, East, South and Southwest	6:00 a.m.	6:00 p.m.
North, Northwest, etc.	6:30 p.m.	7:00 p.m.
WEEKDAY ONLY		
Chicago, East, West and South	11:00 a.m.	7:00 a.m.
STAGE		
Johnstown and Richmond	11:00 a.m.	2:30 p.m.
Mineral Grove and Fairfield	11:00 a.m.	2:30 p.m.

## A BARGAIN.

FOR SALE.—My house, barn and four full lots on Hickory street, just off Fourth Avenue. I will sell at very reasonable figure. A beautiful home for some one. H. F. BLISS. Enquire at Gazette office

## Free Reading Matter.

Among the stores accepting our coupons are:

RICHARDSON SHOE CO.  
 W. C. KAMMER,  
 J. M. BOSTWICK & SONS,  
 F. D. KIMBALL.

Coupon books may be had at our office—PALMER & BONESTEELE'S drug store.

## ACCIDENTS!

### The TRAVELERS' PREFERRED ACCIDENT ASSOCIATION

Has written Life Insurance business for the past nine years, and at the present time have not an unpaid claim in the United States. They have written more insurance in Janesville than all other companies represented in the city. If your time has a moneyed value protect it by a policy in the Travelers' Preferred Accident Association. E. W. LOWELL, President.

Represented by G. H. CLIFFE.

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Money on real estate. Large or small amounts. See me about FIRE INSURANCE.

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Mouldings, hard and soft wood finish, scroll sawing and wood turning.

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## STATE OF WISCONSIN, COUNTY COURT

Notice is hereby given that at a special term of the county court to be held in and for said county at the court house, in the city of Janesville, in said county, on the third Tuesday, being the 21st day of Jan., 1896, at 9 o'clock a.m. the following matter will be heard and considered. The application of E. D. McGowan, administrator with the will annexed of the estate of Nancy A. McLean, for the adjustment and allowance of an account as such administrator of the estate of Nancy A. McLean, late of the city of Janesville, in said county, deceased, and for the assignment of the residue of said estate to such other person as may be by law and the will of said Nancy A. McLean entitled thereto. Dated Dec. 20th, 1895.

By the Court, J. W. SALE, County Judge.

E. D. McGOWAN, in pro. per. SUTHERLAND & NOLAN, Attorneys for Geo. N. VanEtta, Alice D. Smith, Elizabeth F. Bigelow

## Stockholders' Meeting.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Rock County National Bank of Janesville, Wis., will be held on Tuesday, January 14, 1896, from 9 o'clock a.m. to 3 o'clock p.m., for the purpose of electing a board of directors and the transaction of other business as may properly come before the meeting. A. P. BURNHAM, Cashier. December 14, 1895.



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## THIS DAY IN HISTORY.

1700—Ney, famous French marshal in Napoleon's army, born at Saarlouis; executed for treason in the Waterloo campaign in 1815.  
1800—The great Pemberton mill at Lawrence, Mass., fell, and 525 persons were killed and wounded.  
1863—Lyman Beecher, father of the famous family, died in Brooklyn; born Oct. 12, 1775. Dr. Beecher graduated at Yale and was pastor of the Congregational church at New Haven 16 years. Having acquired great influence as an orator and religious teacher, he removed to Boston, in 1826, to uphold orthodoxy against the encroachments of Unitarianism. He was successful and afterward removed to Cincinnati, where he filled the pulpit of the Second Presbyterian church and served as president of Lane Theological seminary.  
1876—General Gordon Granger, a distinguished Union commander in the west, died at Santa Fe; born 1823.  
1884—Rear Admiral Donald McNeill Fairfax, U. S. N., retired, died at Hagerstown, Md.; born 1824.  
1895—Aaron L. Dennison, called the pioneer American watchmaker, died in Birmingham, England, aged 83. General Alfred W. Ellet, noted as a leader of the Union run fleet on the Mississippi, died at El Dorado, Kan.



## NO LACK OF GOLD.

Let Mr. Cleveland sign a republican tariff bill and he won't need to burden the nation with another issue of bonds. If the Wilson law had not turned the balance of trade against us we now should have gold to spare. Colorado alone produced \$15,000,000 of the yellow metal last year; Arizona, \$10,000,000; California, \$16,000,000; South Dakota, \$4,000,000 and Alaska \$1,600,000, with several other states and territories to add to the return. No other country in the world is likely to equal this output.

## ROCK COUNTY'S OPINION

It doesn't take Rock county farmers long to tell what they think about the tariff at the annual meeting of Rock County Pomona Grange the question came up and this resolution was put through with a rush:

Resolved, by Rock County Pomona Grange in session this 8th day of January 1896 that we respectfully request our senators in congress to vote and use their influence for the tariff bill that recently passed the house.

## DOGS OR PROF. WILSON.

In a big green book that Secretary Morton has sent to The Gazette he admits that the value of American sheep declined from \$125,909,264 in 1893 to \$89,186,110 in 1894, but attributes the falling off mainly to dogs. It may be a tariff on dogs that is needed but Rock county farmers think a tariff on wool would be much more to the purpose.

Ex-Senator Ransom seems determined to break the diplomatic record for absenteeism. It would be interesting to know just how much time he has spent in the City of Mexico since he has been drawing the salary of United States minister to Mexico.

When you hear somebody say this or that man would decline the republican nomination for the presidency, just ask for a list of those who have declined that honor. You won't get it, for the very good reason that it doesn't exist.

No time is to be lost in wiping out that master-piece of political crookedness, the present apportionment law. It hardly can be called the democratic apportionment—so many fair-minded democrats rebelled against it.

When a company has to double its bond issue to meet running expenses stockholders ask questions. Why shouldn't they grow inquisitive over the workings of the Cleveland bond-selling administration?

Railroad men must think there are enough parallel lines. Only 1,782 miles of road were built last year, against 13,000 miles in a lively year like 1887.

Dear Mr. Pulitzer—Don't make your bids for bonds so low that it will be rejected by the administration, or somebody will call you a bluffer.

Don't forget that deficits left by the last democratic administration are responsible for most of the taxes this year.

Let the man who said "dudel-sack" look for a coal cellar. January 25 is near and "the Campbell's are coming."

It will be three or four years before Wisconsin finishes paying for her two terms of democratic rule.

When Mr. Cleveland waves the star-spangled banner he gets the plaudits of the people every time, but when he

waves a \$100,000,000 bond issue, he gets something very different.

It is a misnomer to call that new bond issue a "popular" loan in any sense of the word.

There has been more than enough of the Wilson-Gorman-Cleveland tariff for Rock county.

## WHAT THEY THINK OF INGERSOLL

Milwaukee Politicians Appreciated the Rock County Man's Sagacity

The Evening Wisconsin last night published a column about "Republican Leaders" in which the following appeared:

"Chas. Ingersoll of Beloit, who is a political hustler as well as a most active and useful member of the state central committee, is on deck with good judgment and hard sense for judicious distribution. He has been a political character in Wisconsin for many years and never lets up. He is of the kind who do not believe in the height of wisdom to stop fighting as soon as one great battle is won, but favors a sort of perpetual and, decidedly animated campaign from the close of one contest to the beginning of another. He does not tire of well doing and believes that as long as there is anything left of the enemy it is a good thing to keep them stirred up. With a smile he admits that there is not a great deal visible at this time of the free trade party which has made it necessary for the government to go to other countries to borrow money while impoverishing industries at home in order to make foreign manufacturers rich, but he wants the few remaining members watched, so that they will not be given another opportunity to complete the work of destruction. And in this idea he is endorsed by many other prominent republicans.

## Down the Scale.

When we talk we speak loudly. Glance over this list before you buy groceries:

Northern Dairy butter, per lb. .... 20c  
Ten pounds oatmeal ..... 25c  
Corn meal, per sack ..... 15c  
Salt pork, pr. pound ..... 06c  
Picnic hams, per pound ..... 71c  
Eight bars laundry soap ..... 35c  
Four quarts beans ..... 25c  
Corn starch, per pound ..... 06c  
Gloss starch, per pound ..... 06c  
4 1/2 pounds lard ..... 25c  
Syrup (table) per gallon ..... 18c  
Honey, per pound ..... 12c  
Four cans corn ..... 25c  
Three cans sardine beans ..... 25c  
Two cans best salmon ..... 25c  
Prunes 10 cents, three pounds ..... 25c  
Butter nuts, per peck ..... 10c  
Matches, 15 cents a box, 2 boxes ..... 25c  
These are prices for one week only, so act accordingly. NOLAN BROS., Next to Grand Hotel; Telephone 172.

## THE NEWS OF THE CITY

A SALE of ladies high grade shoes is the one being conducted by the A. Richardson Shoe Co.

LADIES, of all times of the year when you should look up your supply of shoes the present is certainly the most favorable. Richardson Shoe Co.

If the baby is Cutting Teeth Be sure and use that old and well-tried remedy Mrs. Winslow's SOOTHING SYRUP for children. It soothes the child, softens the gums, allays all pain, cures wind colic, and is the best remedy for diarrhea. Twenty-five cents a bottle.

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\$3.50 and \$4.00 lines go at.....

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Men's Satin Calf,  
Regular \$2.00 Shoes, now.....

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Boys Fine Satin Calf,  
Go at.....

1.50

Boys' Goodyear Shoes,  
Go at.....

1.25

Childs' "Common Sense,"  
Oil Grain School Shoes,.....

1.00

Childs' large size "Common Sense,"  
Oil Grain School Shoes,.....

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## CROOKED HIRED MAN GOT \$177 ON CHECK

**SOLD HOGS FOR L. A. PAGE AND  
POCKETED THE MONEY.**

An Altered Check Discovered When Presented in Edgerton for Collection—Meanwhile the Dishonest Employee Chats With Janesville Officers and Takes a Train For Chicago.

An altered check netted John Simpson \$177.

With the proceeds he is having a life of luxury.

Simpson has been working for Lucius H. Page of Indian Ford. He took a load of hogs to Edgerton for Mr. Page and sold them for \$177 to Brown Bros. A check was given him payable to "L. H. Page, personally."

When Simpson presented a check at the Rock County bank a day or two later no trace of the word "personally" was left.

A skillful job of erasing had been done.

The check was cashed and no suspicion arose until the Edgerton bank was asked to collect. Then the fraud was discovered.

By this time Simpson had disappeared.

He went to Chicago night before last at 6:30. Sheriff Appleby and Officer Hogan saw him at the train and looked at one of the new express engines with him. When the train pulled out he stepped into the smoker, nodded and went away. The fact that he was a swindler was not developed until twenty-four hours later.

### EUGENE KEESLER IS CHOSEN

He Will Be the Physical Director Of the Y. M. C. A.

Eugene Keesler will be the physical director of the Y. M. C. A., and although official announcement of his appointment has not yet been made, Mr. Keesler has been chosen. He was for two years physical director at the Y. M. C. A. building at Peoria, Ill., and is known the country over as in the front ranks of his profession. Mr. Keesler is expected here tomorrow to inspect the building. Besides being physical director he will also have the floor management of the entire gymnasium.

T. P. Bond of Milwaukee, has arranged the apparatus and says the gymnasium is first class in every respect. The apparatus was formerly in use at Superior, but the association at that city failed. The list of appliances is the same as was published in The Gazette some weeks ago.

### WILL WINTER IN CALIFORNIA.

Janesville Delegation Will Leave Next Wednesday Morning For the West.

Arrangements have been completed by a party of Janesville people for a trip to California. The party includes Mr. and Mrs. David Jeffris, Mrs. Mary Carle, Miss Elva Capello, Miss Susie Jeffris and Miss Helen Macdon. They will leave next Wednesday morning and expect to spend the balance of the winter in that sunny clime, most of the time at Pasadena and Los Angeles.

### BICYCLE RIDER SCARED A TEAM

Bart Kehoe's Horses Took a Lively Run This Noon

Bart Kehoe's team was frightened by a man who was riding a bicycle on the sidewalk this noon and ran away. They went down Main street at a lively gallop but were skillfully caught by Samuel Henderson, the meat dealer. Mr. Henderson was thrown down and dragged but he pluckily kept his hold on the reins and finally stopped the team.

### CRIBBAGE PLAYERS CHALLENGED

Four Local Men Issue a Sweeping Proclamation of Defiance.

The Gazette has received the following challenge:

EDITOR GAZETTE—We, the undersigned cribbage players of Janesville, challenge any and all to play a game of cribbage, to take place at any time or any place in the city:

J. H. KINNEY,  
JOHN FALTER,  
PATRICK MURRAY,  
JAMES DERMODY.

### P. L. HINRICH IS ADMINISTRATOR

The St. Paul Agent in Charge of P. W. Harvey's Estate.

Paul L. Hinrich has been appointed administrator of the estate of P. W. Harvey the man who was drowned some time ago. Mr. Harvey had \$500 in the bank and \$1,000 life insurance.

### DEATH ENDS EARTHLY WOES

Miss Julia Concannon.

G. A. Proctor received a telegram from D. J. Concannon this morning, announcing the death of his sister, Miss Julia, which occurred at The Highlands, a suburb of Denver. No further particulars were received.

### You Might Buy

You might buy goods as cheap elsewhere, but you can't buy them as good and as cheap as we are selling them this month. If you want an ulster we can save you good money on one. We won't carry one over if price will prevent it. The \$8.00 ones are world beaters. Frank H. Bascok.

### No Sale of Ancient Goods.

The ladies' shoes we are sacrificing in our clearing sale are the highest grade stock in the store. The sale was not inaugurated to clean out a job of shelf worn stock, but to clean up an overstock of winter shoes, preparatory to the receiving of spring goods. A. Richardson Shoe Co.

### ECHOES OF THE DAY IN TOWN

Dancing school at Columbia hall tonight.

The Fortnightly club meets this evening.

Local draymen say that business was never so dull.

Cloaks and fur capes at half price. Bort, Bailey & Co.

Beer bread in the city 3 cents a loaf at Hayner & Grubb's.

\$1.00 silk plush caps 48 cents at S. D. Grubb's closing out sale.

The Devil's Auction will be seen at the Myers Grand tonight.

The joint installation of the G. A. R. and W. E. O. will occur tonight.

LA CUBANA is the new 5 cent cigar at O. D. Stevens' Pharmacy.

Good authors, cloth bound books 19 cents a volume. Lowell's annex.

Four cars of barley left the city today consigned to Jefferson brewers.

The revival meetings at the Court street church are held at 2:30 and 7 p. m.

See Hamblidge's double page painting, "Beauty and Innocence" in Truth tomorrow.

The General Arthur is a high grade cigar, 10 cents at C. D. Stevens' Pharmacy.

A fine assortment of home games for winter evenings at Sutherland's book store.

\$1.50 articles 98 cents; 75 cent storm rubbers 48 cents at S. D. Grubb's closing out sale.

Box dolls, policeman dolls with club, Esquimaux doll, handsome dressed dolls at Wheelock's.

The Rock County Agricultural society will meet at the court house tomorrow afternoon.

The New Devil's Auction Company arrived in the city at 9:35 this morning from Oshkosh.

With the beginning of the new term a number of new scholars have joined the city schools.

Every lady should take advantage of the cloak sale we have inaugurated. Bort, Bailey & Co.

The famous Marzluft shoes \$2 a pair at that price they are wonderfully cheap. Lowell's Annex.

The Home Mastodons rehearse Monday, Wednesday and Saturday nights of each week at 7:30 o'clock.

This is the evening set for the joint installation of the Modern Woodmen and Royal Neighbors of America.

CONSTABLE Wallace Cochran has been at Evansville subpoenaing a number of witnesses in the McCoy case.

The Venerable C. T. Susan, arch deacon of the diocese of Milwaukee, will preach in Christ church Sunday.

STERLING silver tea spoons reduced to 35 cents each. If you would secure a bargain. Come early. H. F. Nott.

\$20.00 suits and overcoats now \$10.00; \$10.00 suits and overcoats now \$5.00 at S. D. Grubb's closing out sale.

I HAVE 100 stick pins that usually sell for 25 cents. They will now be sold for 1 cent each from now on. H. F. Nott.

The great sale of bibles, altars, books, black books, diaries, stationery and art goods is continued at Sutherland's book store.

THE local police have received notice to be on the lookout for a farm hand named Albert Jensen. It is claimed that Jensen stole \$50.

SOME interesting prices on clothing, shoes and rubbers are made by S. D. Grubb on page 2 of this issue. Closing out sale at one-half price.

A DANCING party will be given at the county house for the benefit of the inmates this evening. Parties are given every second Friday.

OURS is the only grocery store on the west side of the river that takes your free reading matter coupons. C. A. Thompson, 18 South River street, Christmas's old stand.

FOR Saturday only I will sell sheet music that usually brings 3 cents a copy for 1 cent in lots of five sheets. After that the price will be advanced to 3 cents again. H. F. Nott.

EVERYTHING and anything made of china in the crockery line we carry from the pretty single piece to elegant set of dishes. Fine chamber sets six pieces \$1.40. Lowell's Annex.

DON'T forget ladies that the shoes we offer in the sale we carry on at present, are the same that cost you more money last fall. It's a golden opportunity. A Richardson Shoe Co.

SPECIAL odors in perfumes such as Ed. Pinand's Roman Heliotrope, Roman Violet, Roger & Gallets, Peau de Espagne and Lazelle's, Hespania with many others may be found at C. D. Stevens' Pharmacy.

THE Winfield, Kan., Courier announces the wedding of Will J. Colling of this city, to Miss Mona O'Connor of that place, the event occurring on Dec. 26. The groom is well known here, and is now a traveling representative of the Parker Pen Company.

MORRIS SMITH, who has satisfactorily filled the position as night ticket agent for the Northwestern road, in this city, has been promoted to the night office at Madison. Mr. and Mrs. Smith, during their stay in Janesville, have made numerous friends who will regret much at their leaving.

We have always had the reputation among the lady purchasers of the city of doing exactly as we advertised. We mean to hold up our good name in the fur cape and cloak sale we are carrying on. The garments have truthfully been cut squarely in half, as to price, and the bargains are real and of great value. Bort, Bailey & Co.

## A CLAIM FOR FEES BEFORE THE COURT

**WALWORTH COUNTY JUSTICE  
BRINGS SUIT.**

Refuses the Allowance of the County Board and Brings Suit—Change of Venue Taken to This County Did Not Hold Because of Legal Defects.

Judge Bennett will not decide whether or not Justice J. E. Fuller of Walworth county is entitled to fees he claimed as justice of the peace.

Justice Fuller presented his bill to the county board for committing vagrants, but the supervisors claimed that he was entitled to payment under another provision of the law, which changed the amount of his claim.

Justice Fuller took the case to the circuit court of Walworth county, and from there a change of venue was taken to Rock County. The matter came before Judge Bennett but the court decided that the affidavit upon which the change of venue was taken was not sufficient and did not comply with the statute, so the proceeding will have to be gone through with again before Justice Fuller's claim is settled.

The arguments in the "Mechanics Green" case will be made tomorrow.

TELEPHONE COMPANY AT WORK.

Improvements Are Still Being Made in This Vicinity.

The Wisconsin Telephone Company are still busy making improvements on their lines in this vicinity. The latest work is now in hand, the company having decided to abandon the old line between this city and Emerald Grove, and build a new one, so that Janesville will in the future get the Grove via Johnstown.

"This move will be a much needed improvement," said Manager Willis, "for taking the old line down means the transferring of the local circuit onto a larger and stronger wire which is sure to give better satisfaction. The old wire, which has stood for twelve years, is too small to stand the storms and winds and does not work well."

Foreman Thornton and crew are now working towards this city from Whitewater and on reaching the city they will erect a "repeater box" which will be stationed near the entrance to the fair grounds. The box will be the connecting point of a special insulated wire which will run from the main office. At the box it will be connected with the Johnstown line. This special wire will do away with all the noise of the city and will dispense with all the electrical interferences that have in the past been a great bother to the local exchange.

The telephone company have spent a large amount of money in Rock County during the past year.

### HARRY GRISWOLD VERY SICK.

Operation Performed at Milwaukee May Be of No Avail.

A telegram was received this afternoon saying that Harry Griswold, son of Mrs. Norris Griswold, was very ill at St. Luke's hospital, Milwaukee, where he had an operation performed, for the treatment of an abscess that followed an attack of diphtheria. Mrs. Griswold and her daughter, Mrs. Milo Thayer, left for the Cream City at once.

LOCAL NEWS IN A LINE.

HAVE you purchased your seats for the Devil's Auction?

THE Devil's Auction holds forth this evening at Myers' Grand.

THE Devil's Auction Company arrived in the city this morning.

PRETTY gardeners from 50 cents to \$1.00. Very cheap for them. Lowell's Annex.

A BOY arrived this afternoon at the Milton Avenue home of Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Slawson.

THERE is a girl at the East Milwaukee street home of Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Halsey.

ALL are invited to attend the week of prayer services at the Presbyterian church tonight.

ONE train consisting of fifty six cars pulled out of the Northwestern yards this morning for the west.

A SPECIAL meeting of Western Star Lodge No. 14 F. and A. M. will be held tonight. J. L. Croft, W. M.

KRONITZ Brothers bought four beaves of George McLay, who brought the handsome sum of \$225.

W. F. RANDALL the bicycle man, says he intends to manufacture one hundred wheels the coming summer.

DR. O. G. BENNETT has lately purchased a bronco, which he says takes the place of the street cars in a satisfactory manner.

T. P. BOND, physical director of the Milwaukee Y. M. C. A., says that the Janesville gymnasium is second to none in the State.

JANESVILLE will be well represented at Geneva Lake the coming summer, a number of Bower City folks having built handsome cottages.

GEORGE HILLER, the night switchman who was hurt in the St. Paul yards some time ago, is suffering from an abscess which formed in the wound.

THE advertising atmosphere is heavily charged with exaggeration. Some statements would put a circus poster to shame. The statements in our ad. today do not savor of exaggeration, in fact the real facts are rather understated. We aim to more than fulfill our promises, leave a few things for people to find out for themselves, that tend to strengthen their confidence in this ad. re. J. M. Bostwick & Sons.

### THE FOLKS WHO COME AND GO

W. G. KILDOW was in Monroe today, doing upholstery.

GEORGE R. DAVIS spent the day in the World's Fair city.

G. A. SPAULDING, of Brodhead, was in town today on business.

GEORGE DUTTON, of Tipton, Kansas, is the guest of J. L. Bear.

FRANK H. JACKMAN is home from Chicago and the cycle show.

B. H. BALDWIN was transacting business in Edgerton today.

MISS E. WHITEHEAD, of Madison, visited friends in the city today.

JUDGE CLAMPITT transacted business for the government today at Edgerton.

ATTORNEY MENZIE of Beloit transacted legal business in the city today.

T. M. NOLAN was an interested spectator at the Chicago Cycle show today.

ATTORNEY E. D. MCGOWAN was interested in legal business at Madison today.

MR. and Mrs. M. L. Richardson, of Lima, spent the day with relatives in this city.

GEORGE O. FORD intends to leave in the morning for Red Wing, Minn., on business.

WILLIAM PELLANT, now of Chicago, is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Pellant.

PROF. SEAVEANCE the well known dancing teacher of Madison was in the city today.

LANDLORD MILLER of the Myers, was able to be out yesterday after a week's illness.

LEWIS F. KNIPP spent the day in Milwaukee, on business for the Knipp Brewing Company.

MRS. M. J. ARNOLD left this morning for Chicago where she will visit, the guest of her son.

MRS. J. KILMER, of Afton, spent the day in the city the guest of her daughter, Mrs. George Palmer.

FRANK SANNER is at the Chicago cycle show in the interest of the Lowell Hardware Company.

GEORGE EWEN, A. H. Sheldon & Co's wheel expert, has returned from a visit to the Chicago cycle show.

JACOB OHLWEILER returned home last evening from Orchard Place, Ill., where he was called by the illness of his brother.

SHERIFF APPLEBY came up from Chicago last night, where he has been attending the cycle show with a view to investing in a bicycle.

### HANDSOME BIBLE FOR THE Y. M. C. A.

Mrs. John P. Plummer Remembers the Young Men of the City

Mrs. John P. Plummer has presented to the Young Men's Christian Association a large and handsomely bound bible for the library of the local association. It was received gratefully by Secretary Kline and an inscription setting forth the name of the donor will be engrossed on the cover.

### CARPENTER SELLS THE CITY COAL

Will Supply the High School at \$5.85 a Ton.

Clerk Cunningham, of the Board of Education, has let the contract for sixty tons of coal for the new High school to J. W. Carpenter, for \$5.85 a ton. The matter was left in Clerk Cunningham's hands by the board.

### The Week of Thought.

The meetings close tonight with addresses by Rev. Mr. Varney, of Monroe, and Rev. A. W. Gould, of Chicago. The meeting is open to all.

### Banishment Not Demanded.

London, Jan. 10.—At the foreign office the dispatch saying that the Boers demanded the banishment of Mr. Rhodes from Africa and the abandonment of the rights of Great Britain regarding the Transvaal and Delagoa Bay were discredited on the ground that Sir Hercules Robinson, the governor of Cape Colony, in his dispatches to the colonial office has made no mention of any such demands or conditions.

### MYERS OPERA HOUSE.

Friday, January 10th.

### NEWEST DEVIL'S AUCTION.

See THE TROLLEY CAR. ON THE RIALTO. LES FRERES CARON. AND DON'T MISS THE LITTLE MIDGETS. The Dancing Wonders.

Think You can see the Greatest Scenic Investiture of the most Perfect Spectacular Attraction before the Public. GREAT in the strongest sense and meaning of the word.

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Nothing but CASH takes the goods at these prices.

**\$1.00**  
For 20 lbs. of Sugar.

**85c**  
Per Sack for best patent Flour.

**25c**  
Per bushel for Potatoes, 5 pushels for \$1.00.

**25c**  
For 7 bars of Best Laundry Soap, 30 bars for \$1.00.

**5c**  
Per lb. loose Muscatel Raisins.

**15c**  
For a 25c box of Matches.

**15c**  
Per qt. for best bulk Olives.

**15c**  
Per gallon for best Pickles, 2 gallons for 25c.

**12½c**  
Guaranteed pure N. Y. Cider.

**20c**  
Per lb. best Plug Tobacco.

**20c**  
Per lb. for Dunn Bros' Baking Powder, 2 lbs. for 35c.

**20c**  
A gallon can of best packing York State Apples 20c

**35c**  
Baker's Chocolate, per lb. 35c

**5c**  
Best Domestic Sardines in oil, per can..... 5c

### CANNED GOODS.

3 lb. can Table Plums... 10c

3-lb can Table Peaches... 10c

3 3-lb. cans best Tomatoes..... 25c

3 2-lb. cans best Corn... 25c

2-lb. can best Pineapples. 10c

2 lb can best Pears..... 10c

Pure Sugar Table Syrup

per gallon..... 20c

Dried Peaches per lb. 10c,

3 lbs. for..... 25c

Large California Prunes, per lb., 10c., 3 lbs. for. 25c

Japan Tea Dust, 10c lb, 3 lbs. for..... 25c

Our regular 50c Tea..... 40c

Our regular 40c Tea..... 30c

Sauer Kraut per gallon.. 15c

Best Ginger Snaps, 4 lbs. 25c

Best Corn Starch, 4 pkgs 25c

15-lb can Jelly, any flavor 30c



**The Able Editor.**

The village wag thought he would have some fun with the mild-mannered young man who had recently taken charge of the county paper.

"I say," he said, coming into the office excitedly, "there's a man on the street looking for you with a club."

The young editor looked up pleasantly.

"Is that so?" he inquired. "We make special reductions to clubs. How many subscribers has he got?"

Whereupon the wag felt that he had barked up the wrong tree.—Truth.

**A Bride's Sad Fate.**

Mrs. Blenkins—I'm afraid my darter is awful unhappy with that new husband of hers.

Mrs. Gab—Do tell! Have you heard so?

"No, but I've seen him on the street every day since he got married, and he walks along just as chippy and independent as ever. He doesn't look subdued a bit."—N. Y. Weekly.

**See-Saw.**

It's pitiful, good people,  
Who give the votes that win,  
That when you turn the rascals out  
You turn the rascals in!  
—Atlanta Constitution.

**THE POET'S WOOING.**

"Miss Elsa, favor me with your hand, and make me the happiest of—immortals."—Fliegende Blätter.

**A Case of Overwork.**

The teakettle had been filled and left by Dinah to its own devices over the kitchen fire. The water "boiled over," and Master Six-year-old, quite concerned about so much steam and sputtering, ran up stairs calling:

"Oh! mamma, come quick! The teakettle is overdoing."—Judge.

**Would Heed the Warning.**

Old Quiverful—And so you want to take our daughter from us. You want to take her from us, suddenly, without a word of warning?

Young Goslow—Not at all, sir. If there is anything about her you want to warn me against I'm willing to listen.—Brooklyn Life.

**Not Counsel's Opinion.**

Counsel—Can you tell me what was the width of the stream?

Witness—Eighteen feet three inches and a half.

Counsel—Now, sir, what made you measure it so carefully?

Witness—Oh! I thought some fool might ask me!—London Judy.

**A Great Event.**

Guipps—Why were you not up at the house of Tottie Evergreen, the child wonder, the other night?

Tripps—I don't know. What was going on?

Guipps—She was celebrating her golden wedding.—Life.

**An Observing Youth.**

Little Clarence (who reads and profits thereby)—Pa?

Mr. Callipers—Well, my son?

Little Clarence—Isn't it singular, pa, that it takes about ten times as much identification to cash a check as it does to get lynched?—Puck.

**A Useful Question.**

She—Those two men alone in the box are father and son? Which is the father?

He—The one who is peering over this way with his glasses.

She—And now which is the son?—Judge.

**One Way Out of It.**

Dawkins—Why did you make me take that umbrella just now, when we stopped to speak to Jenkins?

Jones—I don't mind telling you now since he has gone along, but it was his umbrella.—Life.

**An Admission.**

Lea—I wonder if Prof. Kidder meant anything by it?

Perrins—By what?

Lea—He advertised to lecture on "Fools," and when I bought a ticket it was marked: "Admit One"—Puck.

**Final Arrangements.**

Friend—Have you signed the contract?

Actress—Yes. The manager agrees to allow the expense of two diamond robberies and one divorce.—Brooklyn Life.

**Sure to Be True.**

"You know, George," she was explaining, "I was brought up without any care."

"Mary me, my darling," said George, "and you shall have nothing but care."—Westchester Globe.

**A Prudent Maid.**

"Jack writes he has been playing poker with papa, and papa writes he can't possibly send a check for a month."

"What on earth are you going to do?"

"Send for Jack."—Life.

**Before the Hearth.**

She (sentimentally)—What poetry there is in a fire!

He (sadly)—Yes; a great deal of my poetry has gone there.—Harper's Bazar.

**A Good Mood.**

Tired Husband—I've had a terrible day at the office and I'm mad clear through.

Wife—Now would be a good time for you to beat those rugs.—Truth.

**BRIGGS LOST HIS CAT.**

North Dakota's Auditor Is Now a Lonely, Catless Functionary.

Frank Briggs, North Dakota's popular auditor, has lost his cat. Mr. Briggs and family feel the loss keenly; it had been in the family for forty-two years, having been a present to Mr. Briggs' father when a kitten. It was originally a white cat, but since living in Mandan it changed color every time the house was painted, and at the time of its disappearance was yellow with white trimmings. It wore side whiskers and sandburs in its back hair, with a changeable tail. A big scar adorned one hip, which it got in the civil war the night it slept in the cannon. There was either some misunderstanding about the time of starting the cannon or the cat overslept; and it struck a tree three miles in the country and was lame for a week. It has always borne a good character, was amiable, modest, and always seemed satisfied with Mandan mice or meat market liver. Two years ago it fell in with a bad dog and lost some of its expression on its left side, but no one ever blamed the cat in the matter and the dog didn't live long enough to be blamed. When Mr. Briggs moved from Mandan to Bismarck a few weeks ago he carried the furniture and Mrs. Briggs carried the cat in a large basket; everything went well until the bottom dropped out of the basket and the cat hastened away and has not been seen since. Mr. Briggs' friends are doing everything in their power to assist him in recovering the cat. His office hours for inspecting stray cats is from 2 to 4; they are brought and sent to him from all parts of North and South Dakota and he has opened up a branch office in Montana, the manager of which is now confined to his room from too close inspection of a wild cat brought in by a cowboy.—Grafton Record.

**The Magic of a Smile.**

Smile a little, smile a little,  
As you go along,  
Not alone when life is pleasant,  
But when things go wrong.  
Care delights to see you frowning,  
Loves to hear you sigh;  
Turn a smiling face upon her,  
Quick the dame will fly.

Smile a little, smile a little,  
All along the road;  
Every life must have its burden,  
Every heart its load.  
Why sit down in gloom and darkness  
With your grief to sup?  
As you drink Fate's bitter tonic  
Smile across the cup.

Smile upon the troubled pilgrims  
Whom you pass and meet;  
Frowns are thorns and smiles are blossoms  
Oft for weary feet,  
Do not make the way seem harder  
By a sullen face;  
Smile a little, smile a little,  
Brighten up the place.

Smile upon your undone labor;  
Not for one who grieves  
O'er his task, waits wealth or glory;  
He who smiles achieves.  
Though you meet with loss and sorrow  
In the passing years;  
Smile a little, smile a little,  
Even through your tears.

**Case Against Ramsey Dismissed.**

Carlyle, Ill., Jan. 9.—The suit for a co-administrator of the Ramsey estate, alleging that the present administrator, E. P. Ramsey, has not accounted for all assets, has been dismissed by Judge Wall. The petition was not properly drawn up. He gave leave to amend the petition.

**Ohio Bank Robbed of a Large Sum.**

Fayette, Ohio, Jan. 9.—The Fayette bank was entered Tuesday by burglars and \$43,700 in money and about 4,000 in bonds taken. There is no clew to the perpetrators. The bank was insured in the Bankers' Fidelity and Casualty Company, New York.

**Tariff Bill Not to Be Changed.**

Washington, Jan. 9.—The republican caucus, after a very stormy session, agreed to instruct the finance committee that the tariff bill be reported without amendment and passed in that form.

**Illinois Cattle Breeders.**

Springfield, Ill., Jan. 9.—The Illinois Cattle Breeders' association elected officers for the ensuing year as follows: President, A. P. Grant, Winchester; vice-president, J. F. Prather, Williamsville; secretary, J. H. Pickrell, Springfield; treasurer, Thomas Clark, Beecher.

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**Oklahoma Statehood Convention.**

Oklahoma City, Ok., Jan. 9.—As soon as the statehood convention met yesterday a fight was opened. It was over the question of forming a state of the territory alone or with the Chickasaw nation added, with a provision to admit other Indian nations on application. Finally, after a long wrangle, the delegates from the Chickasaw nation were recognized. At 8:15 at night the statehood convention came to an inglorious end. At that hour, the committee on credentials being unable to report, owing to the strife between the "single staters" and the "double staters," Chairman Hensley declared the convention adjourned sine die. This, it is believed, will end all organized effort to secure statehood from the present congress.

**Bank Director's Trial Begun.**

Council Bluffs, Iowa, Jan. 9.—The trial of Isaac Dickerson, director of the defunct Bank of Cass County, began yesterday, was brought here on a change of venue. There are fifty-two witnesses. The bank was wrecked in 1893. J. C. Yetzer, president, was tried on a charge of fraud and acquitted. A. C. Dickerson was convicted and is in the penitentiary. Deposits to the amount of \$400,000 were lost. The assets did not reach 25 per cent. Isaac Dickerson's defense will be that he had nothing to do with the management of the bank and was first to apply for the appointment of a receiver.

**DYSPEPSIA THE CHIEF CAUSE OF CONSUMPTION****FACTS WITH WHICH FEW ARE FAMILIAR**

Dyspepsia or ordinary indigestion is seldom regarded as a dangerous disease, yet doctors now realize that any disturbance of the digestive function is but a stepping stone to the most dangerous and fatal of all diseases—dread consumption.

This appears very clear when we consider that consumption, as the name implies, is but a consuming of the body's substance. Weakness and emaciation naturally result.

The body of a person who does not properly digest food undergoes wasting, and you may safely assume that every pale, thin person of your acquaintance is not properly digesting and absorbing food. In other words, the substance of the body is being consumed and when the cough puts in an appearance they will be regarded as consumptives.

The symptoms of consumption and those arising from certain forms of indigestion are practically identical. Therefore don't despair even if you think your lungs may be affected. First try to repair your stomach and put it in order. This is best done by a very harmless though very ingenious remedy—the Shaker Digestive Cordial. This product, prepared by the Shakers of Mount Lebanon, aids the digestion of food in the stomach, and when food is once digested, it is quickly absorbed.

If you are dyspeptic, don't wait until some more dangerous disease has appeared. Correct the trouble at once.

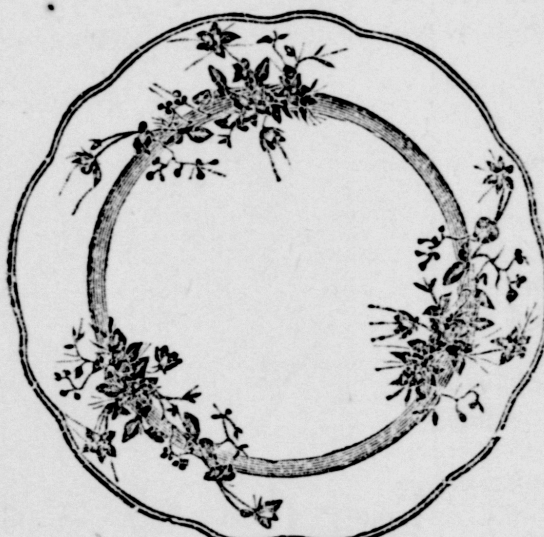
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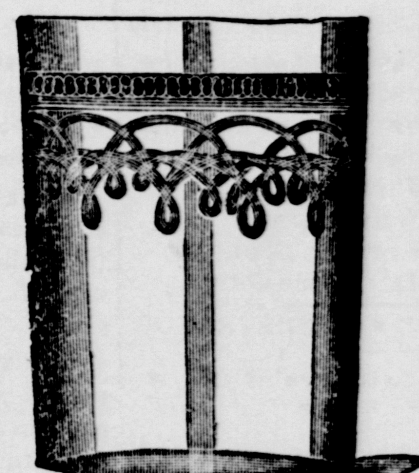
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# WAS IN THREE WARS.

GEN. VAN VLEET RELATES SOME REMINISCENCES.

Fifty Years Ago He Walked the Chalk Line With Grant and Others at West Point—Friend of Thomas and Lincoln.

MAN WHO IS hale and hearty at 80 is always an interesting figure, but when a man has reached that age after a life passed in his country's service, when in him are preserved the traditions and realities of three

great wars, his personality is doubly interesting. The other afternoon the writer was driven from the railway station at Red Bank, N. J., several miles along the maple-shaded country road and up to the broad porch of a charming country house, which stood in the middle of well-kept grounds. On the veranda was a ruddy-faced old gentleman, seated in an old-fashioned rocker built solely for comfort.

General Stewart Van Vleet advanced to greet the reporter with a step almost as martial as when, over half a century ago, he marched at the head of the cadet corps at West Point. And yet only a month ago he celebrated the eightieth anniversary of his birth.

It was in 1836 when young Van Vleet left his home at Fishkill, N. Y., and entered the military academy; and of the class of '42, which was graduated fifty-five years ago last June, only General George Getty of Washington and he survive. Stewart Van Vleet was retired from the army twelve years ago, after he had reached the age of sixty-eight, with the rank of brigadier-general. For forty years his life was filled with adventures. He passed safely through five wars, was repeatedly honored by his country as a companion of Sherman, Grant and Thomas; was also greatly esteemed by Lincoln, and is now highly valued as a friend by President Cleveland.

"You want to know some facts of my military experience?" asked General Van Vleet. "Well, it's a dry subject at the best but I am always ready to oblige my friends, the newspaper men, only I don't want you to make what I say too personal.

"I was born," he began, "in Addison county, Vt., on July 21, 1815. When I was a boy my father removed to Fishkill, N. Y., and at the age of twenty-one—in 1836—I entered West Point.

"General Ulysses S. Grant entered the school three years afterward," he continued, "and for a year he, as well

est of our generals, but he had to suffer because he was required to take a dismembered and disheartened body of raw, undisciplined men and turn them into trained troops. But he was successful in this, and gave over to the United States one of the finest armies in the world, every man in it a seasoned veteran. Grant was a great man. He had an indomitable will, unflinching courage and an unyielding determination. He was also a master tactician. Sherman and Thomas were two others of our greatest leaders."

## CHAIRMAN FAULKNER.

The Man at the Head of the National Democratic Committee.

The chairman of the national democratic congressional committee is Senator Charles James Faulkner of West Virginia. He was born in Martinsburg, W. Va., in 1840, was graduated at the University of West Virginia, served as a private in the confederate army during the civil war, and after its close studied law and rose rapidly in the profession. In 1880 he was appointed a circuit judge, to fill an unexpired term, and in 1882 was elected to the same office. On May 5, 1887, he was elected as a democrat to the United



CHARLES J. FAULKNER.

States senate from West Virginia, and was re-elected in 1893.

## A GREAT FREIGHTER.

Description of Georgie, Largest Ship of Its Kind Afloat.

The big new freighter of the White Star line, the Georgie, has just arrived in New York on her maiden voyage. The Georgie is the largest freight steamship afloat, and is furnished with all the latest improvements for the handling of freight and cattle, which make her a valuable addition to the already large fleet of White Star freighters. She was built by Harland & Wolff of Belfast. A valuable part of her cargo is the blooded hackney stallion Alan, belonging to Richard Croker, says New York Tribune. The Georgie is 538 feet in length, 60-foot beam, and is 40 feet in depth. When fully loaded the vessel will have a draught of 28½ feet. Her tonnage is 10,077 gross and 6,470 net. The vessel's displacement is estimated at 20,116 tons, with a dead-weight carrying capacity of 12,300 tons. She is constructed with a cellular double bottom extending fore and aft, capable of containing 1,900 tons of water ballast, besides two deep tanks to hold 2,995 tons of water. The propelling power is of the twin-screw type, with a double set of triple expansion surface condensing engines, working up to 200 pounds steam pressure. The indicated horsepower is 4,500, and the vessel is capable of making from 13 to 13½ knots an hour. Four boilers generate the steam; two are double and two are single ended, besides twenty-two furnaces.

## A Bloomer Restaurant.

The first bloomer restaurant in the world has been opened in San Francisco and enjoys a mighty patronage. It is called "The Bloomer Cafe." Four

active, stout-built waiter girls, attired in the latest style of bloomers, are the main attraction, though the place itself is neat and the menu tempting. The costume of the four up-to-date waitresses is very much on the zouave plan, especially the waist. Still it is a modest costume and the girls express themselves as pleased with it. They say they can work ever so much more rapidly and easily than with skirts, and they do not get so tired. They are very lady-like and receive polite consideration from patrons.

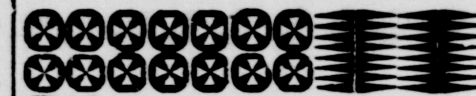
"At the end of the Seminole war I was stationed at Savannah, but when the Mexican war began my company was ordered to Monterey, where Gen. Taylor was in command. I was in company B, Third artillery, Captain Vinton commanding. We were in the final assault on the fortifications. We then joined General Scott at Vera Cruz, and fought for twelve days before the city was surrendered.

"At Vera Cruz poor Vinton was killed. We were in command of a mortar battery, which, placed at an angle of forty-five degrees, was firing ten-inch shells into the city. We were only a few hundred yards from the Mexican fortifications. So near were we, in fact, that we could hear our shells force their way through the roofs and floors of the houses and explode in the cellars. The Mexicans had fifteen-inch mortars, and, while Vinton and I were talking, separated by a distance of only a few feet, one of these fifteen-inch shells passed between us, but did not explode. Vinton fell to the ground dead; the concussion had killed him. I had the shell transported to Newport, where it still rests on the top of Capt. Vinton's grave. When the shell was opened 320 musket balls were found in it. After my service in Mexico I was made quartermaster, with headquarters at Denver.

"Time has passed since then, and all of my old comrades have gone. Gen. Getty and I are the only ones left of that class of '42, and we, too, must soon answer the roll call with them."

"Who was the greatest general of the war?" asked the reporter.

"I would not dare say," answered the old soldier. "There were many great men. McClellan was one of the great-



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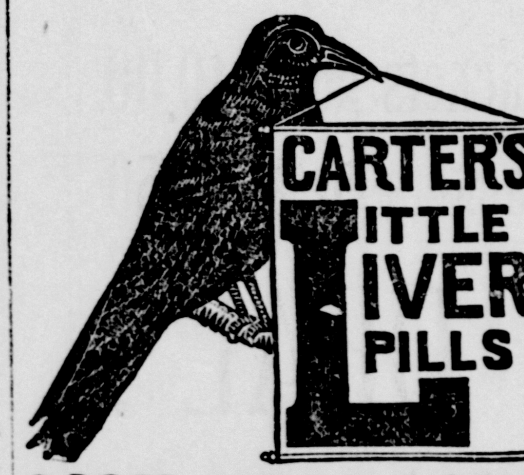
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